

June 7, 2016

Andrew W. Steinberg Lyondell Environmental Custodial Trust 35 East Wacker Drive, Suite 1550 Chicago, IL 60601

Re:

2016 Lyondell Environmental Custodial Trust Budget and Scope of Work

Nova Chemical/Lyondell Chemical Former Lyondell Beaver Valley Site

Potter Township Beaver County

I.D. Nos. PAD068730225/PAR000023986

Dear Mr. Steinberg:

The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) has completed the review of the proposed 2016 Beaver Valley Site Environmental Budget received on March 3, 2016 as modified by subsequent amendments received on April 29 and June 1, 2016 (2016 Budget). The 2016 Budget includes additional sampling events related to the Raccoon Creek Area. DEP hereby approves the 2016 Budget total of \$198,500 per the March 2010 Settlement agreement. Kindly, note that the surface water and sediment sampling event included in the 2016 Budget should be performed during low-flow conditions, if possible.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact Oscar Vazquez at 412.442.4157.

Sincerely,

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